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FREE DISTRIBUTION!



Every purchaser of $5.00 worth of goods, from our large and well-selected retail stock, consisting of

CLOTHING,

Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishing Goods, &c.,

Will be presented with a ticket, entitling the holder to one share in the FREE GIFT DISTRIBUTION of the following

PRIZES:

ONE	$85 HAMSHER IRON FELLOE FARM WAGON.	ONE	$20.00 BRONZE CLOCK, from Otto E. Curtis & Co., jewelers.
"	50.00 IN GOLD.	"	45.00 SILVER WATER SET, from E. D. Bartholomew & Co.
"	40.00 SUIT MADE to order.	"	35.00 SET HARNESS, from J. V. Tyler.
"	25.00 MAN'S SUIT.	"	22.00 VAPOR STOVE, three Burner Stand, Hot Water Tank, from Ferguson Stove Co
"	25.00 " OVERCOAT.	"	HAWORTH CHECK ROWER
"	20.00 " SUIT.	"	BARREL FLOUR, from D. S. Shellabarger & Co.
"	20.00 YOUTH'S SUIT.	"	BARREL FLOUR, from D. S. Shellabarger & Co.
"	20.00 " OVERCOAT.		
"	15.00 " SUIT.		
"	10.00 BOYS' SUIT.		
"	10.00 " OVERCOAT.		
"	15.50 PANTS TO ORDER.		
"	15.00 ZINC TRUNK.		
"	10.00 MOROCCO VALISE.		
"	40.00 SEWING MACHINE.		

To be given away March 1st, 1883. Please call and settle your accounts at once and get your tickets.

J. R. RACE & CO.

Jan. 15—d&wtf

F. D. CALDWELL.



Here is that load of Coal you ordered from CALDWELL about fifteen minutes ago.

Hard and Soft

COAL

Promptly Delivered to Any Part of the City.

Office with American Express Co., P. O. Block.

Dec. 7—tf

!! A NEW ENTERPRISE !!

Long experience has satisfied us of the necessity in Decatur for

AN EXCLUSIVELY PAINT AND ARTISTS' STORE,

Stock being Selected and Handled by Practical Workmen.

We respectfully announce to the TRADES, and PUBLIC GENERALLY, that we have opened on EAST WILLIAMS STREET, immediately EAST OF THE NEW MASONIC TEMPLE, an extensive assortment of materials suitable for

HOUSE AND CARRIAGE PAINTERS,

Such as—Leads, Oils, Putty, Turpentine, Varnishes of all kinds, Japan Dryers, Lithogen—Wood Fillers—Brushes of all grades, sizes and quality. Colors: Dry—in Oil—DISTEMPER—and JAPAN; in a word, everything in their line. Also, a full assortment of *ARTISTS' MATERIAS*, viz: Tube Colors—Refined Oils, Canvasses—Palettes, Palette Knives, Plaques, Brushes, Pencils, Mahl Stick, Crayons, French Pastel Crayons, assorted of all colors and tints—Japan, Empty Bottles, etc., etc. Ladies and gentlemen artists, please examine stock.

Our Paint Shop is in the rear of the store, where we are prepared to execute in the latest styles of Sign Writing, Fancy and Ornamental Work.

We also solicit OUTSIDE WORK, either city or country, from a common barn to the finest of city or country residences. REMEMBER THIS! For some of our friends have reported that we do no *common work*. We keep always first-class workmen for all kinds of work.

Aug. 2—tf

MYER & SON.

GEORGE P. BLUME

THE OLD RELIABLE DEALER IN

SEWING MACHINES AND SUPPLIES,



—THE—

DOMESTIC,

WHITE,

—AND—

OTHER MACHINES.

OFFICE—Last door in Opera Block, one door north of my old office, and directly opposite Masonic Temple.

Nov. 21, 1882—d&wtf

W. H. GRINDOL.

Dealer in all kinds of

AMERICAN AND ITALIAN MARBLE

finished up by the very best of skilled workmen, in the latest and best style, which will be sold at very low prices. Call and examine his stock, designs and prices before purchasing elsewhere. He will not be undersold.

Shop in the old Masonic building, northwest corner City Park, Decatur, Ill. jan.M—dy

$72 A WEEK $12 a day at home easily made. Costly outfit free. Address TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine. Feb3-d&w

BURGLARS!

E. L. SHATTUCK, Agent for Decatur and vicinity, for the sale of the Detroit and Cincinnati Safe and Lock Co.'s Safes, will sell you a new or second-hand safe, take your old safe in exchange, etc., and give you as good bargains as any one in the business.

Dec. 14—dtf

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL.

CHAS. LAUX, Proprietor,

South side of the Old Square, Decatur

Jan. 1, 1880—d&w

Stoning a Squaw.

The facts concerning the disappearance of Winnemucca's wife have now come to light, and are related by a half-breed called Grizzly John, who is fully acquainted with the circumstances of her death. He was an eye-witness of the horrible scene, which he described to a *Gazette* reporter in passable English. Immediately after the affair he went north on a deer hunt, from which he returned yesterday.

The evening before old Winnemucca died about one hundred Indians took the squaw to a large spring, where she had been ordered to bathe. Other squaws stripped her and washed her from head to foot, and then sprinkled her with fine ashes. They then started for a range of hills a few miles from Coppersmith Station, leading the squaw, naked and barefoot. Upon arriving at a chosen spot they built a circle of fires, which lighted up a space of ground about one hundred feet in diameter. In the center of this was a stump eight or ten inches high, to which the trembling squaw was securely bound by one foot with a raw-hide strap. She still held her child, a bright little papoose about two years old. When she had been secured each buck sought for a certain number of stones about the size of a man's fist, and laid them in a pile within the circle of fires. When all was ready for the sacrifice the Indians joined hands and began a monotonous chant, which lasted for a few minutes, when one of them stepped within the ring and began a harangue. As he continued to speak, the poor, agonized squaw gave vent to piercing shrieks, crouching upon the ground, and pressing her babe to her breast. This lasted for some moments. Then at a signal there was silence, except the wails of the intended victim. Suddenly the speaker sprang toward her and grasped the child. She struggled frantically but unavailingly to retain it, and was compelled by force to let it go. The fiend immediately swung the infant around his head, holding it by the ankles, howling like a demon, and being echoed by the red devils about him; but the squaw did not raise her head nor emit a single sound. Suddenly he dashed the child upon a rock and killed it instantly. Then he resumed his place in the circle, which swung around again chanting as before, till the one who killed the babe came opposite the pile of stones he had collected, when the movement stopped. Stepping forward he picked up a stone, and going to within ten feet of the crouching victim he hurled it at her with all the strength possessed by his brawny red arm. The missile struck her on the side, and was answered by a shriek of anguish. He returned to his place, and the circle revolved again until another Indian was entrusted to a murderous fling. The wretched creature at the stake was crouching in such an attitude that only her side and back were exposed. It was forbidden to hit her upon the head and the second savage, choosing the most available target, launched a rock at her with the projectile force of a catapult, striking her between the shoulders and cutting a fearful gash, from which the blood flowed down her back in a small rivulet. He then retired to his place and the circle moved on as before. Thus they continued their murderous pastime until the poor, pitiful object lay prone upon the ground, a bleeding, senseless mass of mangled flesh. As she lay upon her back, the savage who had harangued the band at first raised a large rock over his head with both hands and inflicted the *coup de grace* by smashing her skull. Then there was pandemonium for a few minutes, after which they dispersed and collected wood for a pile, upon which the remains of the luckless squaw and her babe were burned. A few were left to keep up the sacrificial fire, while the others returned to old Winnemucca to comfort his dying moments with the assurance that his young squaw had preceded him to the Indian's happy land. —*Reno Gazette.*

—Cricket and foot-ball seem, says the New York *Sun*, to require British soil to nourish them to a high degree of perfection. Even a team of Americanized Britons were totally unable to cope with a Canadian team on the Hoboken grounds recently. It is only when he can induce his cousin to play base ball with him that Brother Jonathan comes out strong.

—A young gentleman who was pledged to take a young lady to a party remarked to her on the afternoon previous to the event that he was going home to take a sleep, in order to be fresh. "That's right," she replied; "but do not sleep too long." "Why?" he asked. "Because," she answered, "I do not want you to be too fresh."—*Pittsburgh Sunday Dispatch.*

—Alexander Dumas is writing a book on the science of chromatic, in which he is an ardent believer.

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds, and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. [April 3-d&w 1y

LEAVE orders for cord and stove wood at F. D. Caldwell's, Post Office Block.

Dec. 19-dtf

FINE Clothing, equal to merchant tail oring, only to be had at Stine's. 1-dtf

CHILDREN'S suits and overcoats of superior make, at Stine's. 1-dtf

A FULL supply of soft coal always on hand at Ed. Martin's. oct24tf

NEW line of fine Knit Jackets just received, at Stine's. 1-dtf

LEAVE orders for dry stove wood at F. D. Caldwell's, American Express office.

Dec. 19-dtf

OUR new FALL AND WINTER STOCK of CLOTHING is now ready for inspection. You are cordially invited to call and examine. CHEAP CHARLEY, Manufacturer of Fine Clothing.

Sep7-d&wtf

A Significant Fact.

The cheapest medicine in use is Thomas' Eclectric Oil, because so very little of it is required to effect a cure. For croup, diphtheria and diseases of the lungs and throat, whether used for bathing the chest or throat, for taking internally or inhaling, it is a matchless compound. 30

SOME new patterns of suitings just received at Decatur's One-Price House. Perfect fit and satisfaction always guaranteed by Fleury, the French Cutter, corner of old square. dec14-d&wtf.

You can get men's fine shoes (Lilly, Brackett & Co.) at J. W. Baker's for $4.50; sold at other stores for $5.50.

Jan. 30-dawtf

OUR PRICES are THE LOWEST, and our stock is the *Largest, Newest* and *Best*. Come and we will prove it.

Sep7-d&wtf CHEAP CHARLEY.

HUMOROUS.

—Miss Link, of New York, is missing. Rev. Mr. Huxley should be searched at once. —*Chicago Tribune.*

—In some countries the fig is regarded as emblematical of intemperance, because of its seediness.—*The Judge.*

—Translated from the omnibus: Housewife—"Before I you employ, must I you ask: 'Have you a lover?'" Servant-maiden—"One? I should smile!"

—When a woman wants to get rid of her husband for an hour, she sends him up-stairs to get something from the pocket of one of her dresses.—*Exchange.*

—The largest bar of gold ever cast in the United States weighed 150 pounds. An invitation to walk up to the bar would have been accepted by almost any man.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—"Dear me!" exclaimed Lucinda, "what a tiresome talker that Dr. Jelker is! His long talks would tire *eight* of me." Whereat her brother Tom, the wheelwright's apprentice, said: "I'd like to see him talk long enough to tire a wagon wheel."

—An article is again going the rounds asking: "Who Struck Billy Patterson?" We admitted a couple of years ago that we struck him, but our confession appears to have been discredited in some quarters.—*American Hebrew.*

—A poetess in the Philadelphia *Bulletin* says: "I ask no gems of him! love." Step right up this way, dear; top floor, second door to the right. You're the girl we've been in search of ever since we could afford to get married.—*N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.*

—"Yes," said old Hi Newton, as he scraped the mud from his No. 15 boots with a chip, "this is muddy, but it's nothing to what I saw down on the twenty-mile creek when I was running a mill there. Why, I've hauled logs there with oxen, when all you could see of the cattle was the tips of their horns sticking up through the mud; and it wasn't much of a time for mud either."—*The Judge.*

—The following is an address to the barber: "I want a close shave. I am in a hurry. Do not put any oil or grease on my hair. I never use bay rum or cosmetics. Please comb my hair up and back. I do not wish my hair trimmed or cut. I do not want any hair tonic or skin medicine. I do not want any shampoo or a bath. I have not heard the latest news from Egypt, nor do I want to. I care nothing for politics or crime or society. I do not care for stock or market reports. I am not a stranger in the city, and I am not going to the ball this evening. I am a professor in a deaf and dumb institute, and I am glad of it. Go ahead and shave me."—*Chicago Herald.*

Artemus and His Babes.

Artemus Ward started in California with an announcement that he would lecture on "The Babes in the Woods." He said he preferred this title to that of "My Seven Grandmothers." Nobody knows why, for there was, of course, to be as little in the lecture about babes, in or out of the wood, as about seven or any other number of grandmothers. "The Babes in the Wood" was never written down; a few sentences only have survived of a performance which was destined to revolutionize the comic lecturing of the age. The "Babes" seem only to have been alluded to twice—that at the beginning, when the lecturer gravely announced "The Babes" as his subject, and then, after a rambling string of irrelevant witticisms, which lasted from an hour to an hour and a half, he concluded with: "I now come to my subject, 'The Babes in the Wood.'" Then, taking out his watch, his countenance would suddenly change—surprise followed by great perplexity. At last, recovering his former composure, and facing the difficulty as best he could, he continued: "But I find I have exceeded my time, and will therefore merely remark that, so far as I know, they were very good babes; they were as good as ordinary babes." Then almost breaking down, and much more nervously, "I really have not time to go into their history; you will find it all in the story books." Then, getting quite dreamy, "They died in the woods, listening to the woodpecker tapping the hollow beech-tree." With some suppressed emotion: "It was a sad fate for them, and I pity them; so do you. Good night! The success of this lecture throughout California was instantaneous and decisive. The reporters claimed that they could not write for laughing, and split their pencils desperately in attempts to take down the jokes.—*San Francisco Call.*

Newton Ashton, aged twenty-four, committed suicide at Martin's Ferry, W. Va., recently because Katie Powell wanted to postpone their wedding.

A Novel and Perfect Cure for Scrofula, Salt Rheum, Cancer, Etc.

A discovery has recently been made which adds luster to the nineteenth Century. It consists simply in an extract from the Red Clover Blossom, as extracted by J. M. Loose & Co., Monroe, Mich., who have gone into the business largely in order to supply the increasing demand. For sale by Dr. A. J. STONER.

A slight testimonial:

TOLEDO, OHIO, Jan. 17, 1882.

J. M. Loose & Co., Monroe, Mich.:

Gentlemen—My wife has for some time been afflicted with something like a scrofulous disease, and found no relief until she gave your Extract of Red Clover a trial. I am happy to say she has experienced great relief. This is but a slight testimonial of my appreciation of your efforts in behalf of humanity, which you are welcome to use for their benefit. I am very respectfully, H. ARMS.

Feb. 3, 1882—d&wlvr

A Skillful Preparation

Composed of roots, barks and plants that act in harmony and are a pleasant and effective medicine constitute Burdock Blood Bitters, of which highly commendatory reports are constantly being received. Price $1. 30

Drop in on us *informally* at any time. We are always at home, and promise you before hand a hearty welcome.

CHEAP CHARLEY, Leader of the Clothing Trade.

Sep7-d&wtf

HOLIDAY GOODS,

consisting of fine silk handkerchiefs, silk suspenders, silk scarfs and silk plush ties, at Decatur's One-Price Clothing and Merchant Tailoring House, corner of old square. dec14-d&wtf

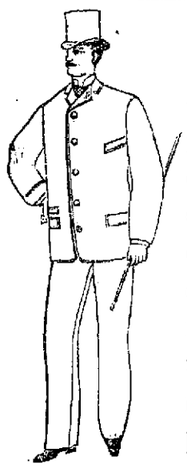
IF you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at Shellabarger's.

Dec. 18—d&wtf

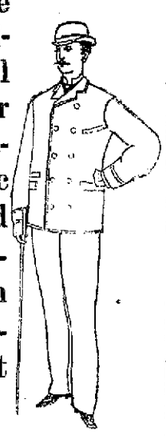
BEWARE of imitations of L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s Corn Cure. None genuine without their name on every bottle. It is warranted to cure every time. Price 25 cents. Sept6-dtf

GO TO Dr. Thomas S. Hoskins to get your dental work done. Cor. Main and Water streets, Decatur, Ill. 21dtf

Sensational Advertising!



We do not believe in Sensational Advertising. We will not practice it, nor do we think it judicious. The public do not care to read clap-trap announcements, which, when tested, fail in fulfillment of all but promises.



B. STINE, the Boss Clothier

makes no pretensions by announcing, in flaring advertisements, that he is giving goods away, but admits like every honest dealer ought to, THAT HE IS MAKING A LEGITIMATE PROFIT, and will continue to do so on all FRESH SEASONABLE GOODS, for which we pay cash at all times. Past experience has shown us that the public in general would rather pay a profit, especially when the same articles are cheaper with the profit than others who claim to sell at cost and below.

To the trade, who wish to investigate the matter, we would say, LOOK AROUND, POST YOURSELF, AND AFTER YOU GET THROUGH COME AND SEE

B. STINE, the Boss Clothier.

The explosion of the theory as to selling goods at cost, below cost, and giving them away, shall not do you a bodily injury, as there will be no gunpowder used.

Jan. 19, 1883—d&wtf

FACTS FOR HOUSE-KEEPERS

Syracuse Baking Powder Co.

U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., Mar. 31, 1882.

GENTLEMEN:—I send you the result of my analysis of the following Baking Powders:

NAME OF POWDER.	Per cent of carbonic acid in powder.	Cubic inches of carbonic acid gas in one ounce of powder.	Per cent of starch in each powder.	Powder that contains ammonia.
TIP TOP	14.19	134.80	None.	
Pearl	10.51	99.89	14.94	Pearl.
Dr. Price's	11.62	105.00	33.46	
Royal	16.79	160.80	38.23	Royal.
Horsford's	10.70	98.09	29.38	
Snow Flake	7.61	70.40	34.60	Snow Flake.

The last five contain, as will be seen, a large percentage of starch. The TIP TOP is composed only of pure cream of tartar, bi-carbonate of soda and the whites of eggs, and is the best Baking Powder I have ever examined, in my opinion. PETER COLLIER, Ph. D.

Strange as it may seem the Pearl, Dr. Price's Cream, Royal, Horsford's and the Snow Flake Baking Powders are NOT "absolutely pure," as represented, but are adulterated with common laundry starch, to such an extent that every purchaser of a pound of either of these pays from 7 to 17 cents for about 1-2 pound of starch (*the ordinary cost of which is one cent.*)

THE TIP TOP IS MADE ONLY OF

Pure Grape Cream Tartar, Finest Bi-Carbonate of Soda and the Whites of Eggs.

Try it, and learn the superiority of THE TIP TOP over starch. It requires one-third less, and is one-third stronger than any other Baking Powder made. Manufactured by the SYRACUSE BAKING POWDER CO., Syracuse, N. Y. For sale by

Sold in Decatur by PETER ULLRICH.

VIENNA BREAD.

The Genuine Article manufactured every day at

A. O. Brewer's Bakery

25 North Main Street.

I have in my employ a first-class baker, who has had long experience in baking all kinds of Fancy Bread, and I have, at large expense, fitted my oven for baking the justly celebrated Vienna Bread.

Try this Vienna Bread and you will say it is the finest you have ever eaten.

My Wheat and Rye Bread and Boston Brown Bread is still up to its excellent standard.

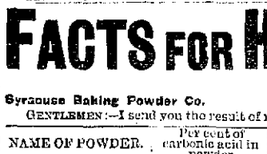
Cakes for parties and festivals furnished, and a fresh stock always on hand for family use.

Thanking the public for their increased patronage, I assure all my friends that I shall do everything in my power to merit their continued favor.

A. O. BREWER.

Breakfast Buns fresh every morning, and Vienna Rolls and Doughnuts fresh every afternoon. feb4-dtf

JAMES PYLE'S



PEARLINE

THE BEST THING KNOWN FOR

Washing and Bleaching

In Hard or Soft, Hot or Cold Water.

SAVES LABOR, TIME and SOAP AMAZINGLY, and gives universal satisfaction. No family, rich or poor, should be without it.

Sold by all Grocers. BEWARE of imitations well designed to mislead. PEARLINE is the ONLY SAFE labor-saving compound, and always bears the above symbol, and name of JAMES PYLE, NEW YORK.

Aug. 25-d&weowy.

W. C. T. U.

Its meetings occur on Tuesdays at 7½ p. m., and on Thursdays at 3 p. m., at headquarters in Central Block, the former being a Gospel temperance meeting, and the latter one mainly for business. There is also a monthly sociable at the tabernacle, on the third Thursday evening of the month. All are welcome to any of these meetings. M. M. SARGENT, Sec.

Go to your druggist for *Mrs. Freeman's New National Dyes*. For brightness and durability of color are unequaled. Color from 2 to 5 pounds. Directions in English and German. Price 15 cents.

May 23, 1882—d&wtf

Durable, Stylish, Perfect Fitting, Low Priced Clothing at

Sep7-d&wtf CHEAP CHARLEY'S.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of two executions on transcript from J. P., to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, and both in favor of William L. Hammer and Joseph Q. A. Oder, partners as Rucker, Hammer & Co., and both against Harl P. Christie and Susan L. Christie, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The undivided one-fourth (¼) interest in the south half of lot two (2) and the north half of lot three (3), in block three (3), in Cowan & Hostetler's Addition to the town (now city) of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, the same being all the right and interest of said Susan L. Christie and Harl P. Christie in said above described premises. Taken as property of the said Harl P. Christie and Susan L. Christie, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the seventh day of February, A. D. 1883, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 17th day of January, A. D. 1883.

WM. W. FOSTER, Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

Jan. 17-d3w

Farms for Sale!

E. O. SMITH

is desirous of selling a

PORTION of HIS FARMING LAND

situated in Macon county, near Dalton and Harvey City. For particulars inquire of

GEO. W. BRIGHT,

DECATUR NATIONAL BANK, or O. L. KENDAL, Dalton City, who will show parties the land.

May 13, 1882—d&wtf

A CURE GUARANTEED IN ALL CASES.

For Old and Young, Male and Female.

MAGNETIC MEDICINE; A BRAIN AND NERVE FOOD; Positively Cures Night Losses, Spermatorrhœa, Impotency, Nervous Debility, Leucorrhœa (Before) Chorea, Barrenness; and for all (After) Weaknesses of the Generative Organs in either sex it is an UNFAILING AND POSITIVE CURE. Tones up the debilitated system, arrests all involuntary discharges, removes mental gloom and despondency, and restores wonderful power to the weakest organs. With each order for twelve packages, accompanied with five dollars, we will send our GUARANTEE to refund the money if the treatment does not effect a cure. It is the *Cheapest and Best* Medicine in the market. Full particulars in Pamphlet, which we mail free to any address. Sold by all druggists, one package 50 cents; six packages for $2.50, sent by mail on receipt of price, by addressing the MAGNETIC MEDICINE CO., Detroit, Mich. Guarantees issued in Decatur, Ill. No. 14, South Side of Park.

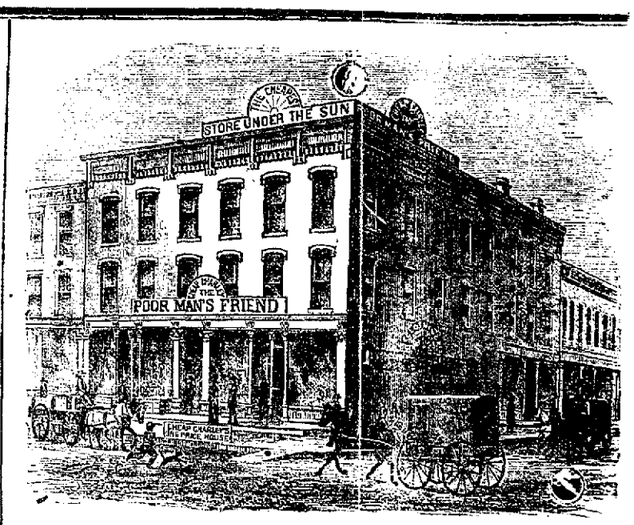
Jan. 1883—d&wly.

NOTICE.

I hereby warn all persons not to furnish my minor son, Ulysses Grant Barnett, any goods or other valuable thing on my account, as I will pay no debts of his contracting, he having left home without my consent.

GEORGE M. BARNETT.

Jan. 22, 1883—d3w1



—THE—

Annual Clearing Out Sale

HAS BEGUN NOW,

And will last until the Arrival of Our Spring Stock.

THIS MEANS

BARGAINS!

—WITH—

"Cheap Charley."

KAUFMAN & BACHRACH, Manufacturers of Clothing.



KAUFMANN & BACHRACH

Manufacturers of

MEN'S AND BOYS'

Clothing!

Dealers in

Goods for Men's Wear,

Cor. East Main & Water Sts.

DECATUR,

Factory—Chicago, Ill.

Not wealth, nor birth, nor rank nor state, But GET RIGHT UP AND GIT that makes men great.

J. J. PEDDECORD. L. BURROWS. WM. K. REID

BANKING HOUSE

—OF—

PEDDECORD, BURROWS & CO.

—WE HAVE—

Money to Loan!

IN VARIOUS SUMS ON THE

Most Favorable Terms,

Secured by Mortgage on Real Estate.

We keep a supply of

GOVERNMENT BONDS

on hand at all times, which we will sell at the

LOWEST MARKET RATES.

A general Banking Business transacted but no interest paid on deposits.

SUBSCRIPTIONS

—AT—

PAR

Can now be made to the Stock in the

THIRD SERIES

of the

Savings Fund Building Associat'n

Series commencing on the last Tuesday, the 28th day of November, at the office of

WARREN & DURFEE.

K. H. ROBY, President. C. A. EWING, Vice Pres't. H. K. DURFEE, Sec. and Treas. [nov9d90

The advertisement, "GOOD MORNING!" Is the name of my new 5-CENT CIGAR, and I will say this to my friends—it is the best cigar I have ever had. Five cts. a piece; $5.00 per 100.

FRED NORMAN,

One door East of Postoffice, Decatur, Ill.

Dec. 4, 1882—dtf

Home for $200

A comfortable little home with an acre and a half of ground, near Oakley, for sale for $200 on easy terms. Apply to

JOHN A. BROWN,

Jan. 4, 1883—w1mo COURT HOUSE BLOCK.

PALACE HOTEL,

N. LAUX, Proprietor,

South Main St., corner of Wood, Decatur, Ill. $2.00 per day. Livery stable in connection with house. Carriages furnished at all hours.

Feb. 9, 1881—d&wy

NOTICE.

A petition will be presented to the city council for the right of way for the extension of the Decatur Street Railway & Carrying Company from the track now on the Old Square east on East Main street to Franklin street, on Franklin street north to North st., east on North street to Broadway, north on Broadway to Eldorado, east on Eldorado to the city limits. Then from the track on the Old Square west on Main street to the city limits. F. PRIEST, President.

Dec. 20—dtf D. S. Fry & Co. Co.

NOTICE.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that he will make application to the city council at its next regular meeting February 5, 1883, for a license to retail spirituous liquors in a building on Lot 8, in Block 4, 3rd Rolling Mill Addition to the City of Decatur, the said building being owned by Ole Johnson.

Jan. 11—d2w OLE JOHNSON.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

COAL! COAL!

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The Daily Republican.

TUESDAY EVENING, FEB. 6, 1883.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

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TODAY, according to the general understanding, Illinois will change governors. Gov. Cullom will hereafter have "ex" prefixed to his title, and Lieut. Gov. Hamilton will drop the first part of the official cognomen which he has so worthily worn for two years, and will blossom out as a full-fledged governor.

One neighbor of the *Review* is certainly not a good Democrat; he is not "willing to let by-gones be by-gones." Every few days he gives his readers to understand that he has not forgotten the fact that there was an election last fall, at which a man named Jason Rogers was successful, while he himself was left out in the cold, so to speak.

"It never rains but it pours," says the old adage, and Senator Ferry, of Michigan, doubtless realizes the truth of the proverb. He has been hard at work for a month past endeavoring to persuade the legislature of his state to re-elect him to the senate, but as the result of his labors only sees his strength gradually melt away and his chance of success growing more and more desperate each day. And now, as if to cap the climax of his misfortunes, the great lumbering firm of Ferry & Bro., at Grand Haven, of which the senator is the senior partner, has collapsed.

The failure of the firm is said to be due to mining speculations in Utah, and the neglect of business that has been the result of the senator's attention to political matters.

ANOTHER FAILURE.

The Kansas Rolling Mill company, at Rosedale, Kan., which is essentially the same that carried on the business of manufacturing railroad iron in this city prior to 1875, is in difficulty, owing to the failure of the Union Iron and Steel company of Chicago, which is owned by the same parties. The Rosedale mill has shut down, and the works have been turned over to Daniel P. Eels, of Cleveland, and Wallace Pratt, of Kansas City, as trustees for the bondholders, who are secured by mortgages upon the property to the amount of $275,000. The telegraphic reports state that the difficulty of the Rosedale mill was not due to any lack of business, nor to mismanagement of any kind, but is merely the natural result of the troubles which have so seriously involved the capitalists who own the Chicago mill, and whose interests at Rosedale suffer in consequence. It was thought that the difficulties at Rosedale had been temporarily arranged a week ago by Col. W. H. Harris, of Cleveland, who is a prominent stockholder, but soon after his departure for home came the suspension at Chicago, and that carried down the Rosedale company in the general crash. It is hoped that the suspension and closing of the mill will only be temporary. The general manager of the Rosedale mill was Capt. Ira Harris, formerly of Decatur, and many of the operatives are also from this city, where the news of the suspension will cause general regret.

A Bounty for English Sparrows

New York Mail and Express.

A committee of the Massachusetts Legislature is taking testimony as to the need of offering a bounty for the destruction of the English sparrow. It would delight the gamins of New York to have such a bounty offered in this State, for the sport of killing the birds would induce them to undertake a war of destruction without the addition of a bounty. The introduction of the English sparrow in this country was undoubtedly a mistake. The increase of the sparrows is so rapid that they have become a pest, and their pugnacity makes them an irresistable enemy of our most valuable birds. The extinction of the robin, bobolink and other highly-prized birds is inevitable, if the English sparrows are to increase until they spread over the whole land. It is argued against them that they have abandoned the insect diet and chosen one of fruit and grain, to the consternation of the farmer. It is not probable that the hardy little creatures would be wholly exterminated were a bounty for their destruction offered in every State, but the multitude of them would be thinned. The question concerning them now before the Massachusetts Legislature is not a trivial one.

A World Wants Proof.

The proof of the pudding is the eating thereof," and not in chewing the string which tied the bag. Therefore, Take Dr. Jones Red Clover Tonic. It cures all blood disorders, torpid liver, sick headache, costiveness, and all diseases of the urinary organs. The best appetizer and tonic known. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner. Fifty cents per bottle. [April 3-d&wly

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REMEMBER you can get good boots and shoes cheaper at J. W. Baker's than any place else in the city. Jan. 30-dawtf

Are We an Oppressed People?

EDITORS REPUBLICAN:—Some people would have us believe that American laborers are terribly oppressed, and that monopolies and corporations were about to ruin this fair land of ours. Since the financial disasters of 1873 there has been a continuous cry of rage directed against all corporations, against all who lived in good houses or wore fine clothes, against all whose industry had gained them a competence. The cry was first made by sympathetic, sentimental men, who were perfectly honest in their convictions, and by a great number of demagogues and disappointed seekers after fame who sought influence with the "oppressed and down-trodden laborers of America." Parties and societies have been formed for the express purpose of instilling into the minds of the great middle and lower classes the belief that government and capital were made fat and fed by the very heart's blood of the mechanic and the farmer. Imagination is the most fertile of human faculties, and under this teaching we need not be surprised if the cry of rage has been changed sometimes to one of genuine woe.

Their teaching has been both systematic and persistent. The shiftless, the improvident, the vicious, have been told that the world owes them a living; that wealth obtained by honest and patient industry is really theirs; that the thrifty are all sharks and vampires; that the laws are all made to enrich the wealthy and impoverish the poor; that they work too hard and get too little for it; that they should crush the oppressor and bless themselves by placing their teachers and real friends in power; that one of the functions of government is to create wealth, and, since its stamp will change a stone to bread, or copper to gold, the more fools they are if they choose to either toil or suffer. The most dangerous classes have received this gospel and gone forth to practice all that it implied. We have had an army of tramps, begging or demanding everything but work. These tramps and willing beggars have been seen gradually converted into an army of highwaymen and thugs. Every local paper is full of the misdeeds of these nihilistic disciples of Kearney and Cooper. Property is not safe either in city or country, and mercenary murders are constantly increasing. Still the press and the platform ring with inflammatory and incendiary harangues, and instead of interfering with these teachers of iniquity, we organize vigilance committees and hang their dupes.

Are the mechanics and other laborers of this country robbed? Are they the victims of systematic tyranny?

The facts are that in no other country of the world is the laborer so liberally rewarded. In no other country have the men who till the soil and toil in factory so much political and social power; nowhere else have they so many of the luxuries of a luxurious age. On much of our best agricultural land it is no uncommon thing for a crop or two to pay for the land, and the Autumn sometimes shows that the tenant's interest is greater than the landlords. Any farmer who wishes may own his land. In spite of assertions to the contrary, transportation is rapid and comparatively cheap. The mechanic with no capital but his hands, and even the unskilled day laborer, may educate his family and never suffer from hunger, though a large part of his earnings go to the tobacconist and the saloonist. It is more difficult in many parts of the country to find willing hands and trusty laborers than it is to find work.

I know that we are pointed to France, the land of sunshine, of wine, of mirth, of experiment, of passion, of revolution, and of chaos. We are told that there the people are happy, taxes light, the security great, National debt all paid, money plenty, etc., etc. The income of an honest American laborer is in truth enough to make a Frenchman rich. The truth is, that France, smaller than Texas, and with a population smaller by millions than our own, has the largest National debt of any of the great powers. It is not paid, nor likely to be paid in the near future. A Frenchman's tax would make an American rebel.

No, we are not very badly oppressed. It is unfortunate that some of us have been made to feel that we are. It robs us of much happiness that is rightfully ours. It is still more unfortunate that the vicious classes feel that they have the moral support of many respectable men and of some of the great political parties. It is unfortunate that we should learn to attribute the misfortunes that come from our own ignorance or shiftlessness to the oppression of the prosperous or to the lack of governmental aid. It is lamentable that the respectable must suffer because of the careless or malicious teaching of demagogues.

O. L. STUART.

WHITMORE, ILL., Feb. 5, 1883.

The Natives of Idaho.

An esteemed and usually veracious western contemporary furnishes the following information: In the "backwoods" region of Idaho are many people "born and raised" in the wilds, who have never seen either a railroad or a steamboat. Since railroads have been penetrating toward their fastness they have heard such wonderful things about locomotives jumping off the tracks and killing people that it is hard to get a native near a train. In order to get them aboard it is necessary to blindfold them, the same as mules and horses are blinded when being taken into dangerous places. Even when they are aboard it is necessary to watch them closely to prevent their jumping out of the windows when the locomotives blows its whistle.

Coal! Coal!

Hard and soft coal at my yard, adjoining Furniture factory, at prices to suit the times; also cord and dry stove-wood delivered to any part of the city. Leave orders at Peter Ullrich's grocery store, or telephone. J. H. VENNINEHOLZ.
Dec. 5-dtf

THE CITY LEGISLATURE.

SHORT OF CASH—THE NEW STREET CAR LINE—THE OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS.

The city council of the city of Decatur met at the council rooms at 8 o'clock p. m., Feb. 5, 1883.

Present—Ald. Bramble, Cox, Dinneen, Gogerty, Hardy, Mills, Parke and Scroll. Absent—Ald. Shlaudeman and Shoemaker.

The minutes of meeting held Jan. 1, '83, read and approved.

The Citizens Street Railway Company petitioned the council for the right of way and the right to locate and construct its road over and along the public ground in said city, as follows: From the Central or Union depot to Front street, thence south on Front street to East Eldorado street, thence west on East Eldorado street to Water street, thence south on North Water street to East Main street, thence west on East Main street to the old public square, thence across said square to the New Deming house corner, thence south on new square and South Main street to what is known as Cemetery street, thence south on Cemetery street to the main entrance to Greenwood cemetery.

Petition referred to the committee on streets and alleys with instructions to report thereon to the city council Feb. 19, 1883.

A remonstrance against the granting the right to lay down a street railway on East Eldorado street was read and referred to same committee.

A communication was received from Dennis Sullivan in relation to refunding license money; read and laid on table.

Theo. Nelson, city treasurer, made a report of receipts and expenditures for the month of January, 1883, which was read and placed on file.

W. H. Shorb, Supt. of Streets, made a report of lumber received and expended and labor performed during the month of Jan., 1883, which was read and placed on file. The pay roll accompanying said report was approved and ordered paid. Amount—$105.25.

J. S. Hewes, City Marshal, and J. M. Lowry and T. B. Albert, J. P., each reported police cases tried, amount of fines assessed and collected. Reports placed on file.

W. H. Bramble reported pay roll of men employed at the water works, which was approved and ordered paid. Amount $196.67.

Ald. Cox, chairman committee on salaries, reported pay rolls of city officers and employes, which were ordered paid. Aggregate amount, $1,140.53

The committee on gas reported the bills of Decatur Gas Light and Coke Co. for the months of December, 1882, and January, 1883, as correct, which was ordered paid. Amount, $387.31.

The finance committee reported the following claims as correct, and warrants were ordered issued in payment, viz: Linn & Scruggs, $13.06; R. Liddle, $10.13; C. Ammann, $6.18; John Ullrich, $5.34; Drs. W. J. and Cass Chenoweth, $12.00; Mills & Harry, $6.90; J. H. Ebert & Bro., $23.95; Wm. L. Oakes, $22.95; J. G. Starr & Son, $2.50; Hubbard & Swearingen, $5.25; H. E. Foster, $122.66; J. L. Stout, $14.50; V. H. Parke, $10.63; O. E. Curtis & Co., $2.00; Nichols Bros., $3.55; E. H. Kellogg, $78.00; James Moore, $3.40; D. Martin, $50.30; Korsmeyer & O'Neil, $771.80; H. Mueller, $82.81; Close & Griswold, $34.00; Union Iron Works, $98.28; Morehouse, Wells & Co., $35.89.; H. Mueller, $360.28.

The following claims were approved and ordered paid: Central Telephone Company, $18.10; Mary Frost, $3.00; E. Adams, $40.00; Theo. Nelson, Treas., $1,051.25; Ray Ringland, $9.00; F. Butzein, $3.00; H. L. Archer, $5.50; Geo. Hunsley, $1.00; Robert McClelland, $455.12.

Warrants were ordered drawn upon the Library fund for the following amounts: Miss Alice Tyler, $20.00; Mrs. Alice Evans, $30.00; Mrs. Alice Evans, $2.58; John R. Barrett, $32.57.

Ald. Parke offered the following, which was referred to the committee:

Resolved, That there be a good walk six feet wide put down on the south side of West William street, between Edward and Church streets.

A plat of Warren & Co.'s 5th Addition to Decatur was presented and referred to the com. on streets and alleys.

The bonds of Dennis Sullivan and Tim O'Connor for license to sell intoxicating liquors for a term of three months was approved and license ordered issued.

The bond of James L. Gogerty for license to sell intoxicating liquors for a term ending May 10, 1883, was approved and license ordered issued on call of ayes and nays. Voting aye—Bramble, Dinneen, Gogerty, Hardy, Mills and Schroll. Nay—Cox and Parke.

The bonds of Michael McMahon, A. S. Morgan, Thomas Andrews, D. L. Vigus, Frank Curran and Ole Johnson were approved and licenses ordered issued by the following vote: Voting aye—Bramble, Dinneen, Gogerty, Hardy, Mills and Schroll. Nay—Cox and Parke.

On motion of Ald. Mills the mayor, clerk and attorney were instructed to make a settlement with Miss Laura Allen and draw a warrant for the amount of the judgment obtained by Miss Allen against the city of Decatur.

On motion of Ald. Mills the committee was instructed to confer with Mr. Carter, of the Wabash, in relation to water furnished said railroad.

On motion of Ald. Mills the matter of using earth from the cellar at northwest corner of park was referred to the com. on streets and alleys.

On motion of Ald. Mills the council adjourned until Monday, Feb. 19, 1883, at 7½ o'clock p. m. G. P. HARDY,
City Clerk.

Whose Watch Was It?

Bloomington Leader.

A natural curiosity from the McLean county coal mine has been hauled to the office on Main street. It is a detached mass of sulphate of iron weighing nearly 500 pounds, and looks exactly like an enormous petrified watch. It is surmised that it was a hunter-case, and belonged to some wealthy nabob of the carboniferous age. It has not been ascertained as yet whether the works are of the Elgin or Swiss pattern.

"Four on Oil."

L. P. Follet, Marion, O., states that he has used Thomas' Eclectric Oil for burns, and has found nothing equal to it in soothing the pain and giving relief. 30

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

THE STORM.

Its Effects in Various Places.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 5.—Reports from all parts of Central Ohio show the highest water, by six to twenty inches, ever known. The Scioto, in this city, was fourteen inches higher than ever before, and the damage here is enormous, mostly to the inundated portion of the West Side, and over a hundred families had to quit their houses. The river by noon to-day had fallen two feet, and the worst is over. Reports from all points, especially along the Scioto and branches, show a loss of bridges, devastation of farms and numerous losses. Reports along the Ohio canals to-day show general losses by washing out of banks and aqueducts, but not so serious as was expected last night. Trains went out on all the roads this morning, and the water-works of this city, the locks and other dangerous points feel relief.

WICHITA, Kan. Feb. 5.—Stockmen report that the present storm has been disastrous to stock held in this section of the state and along the Cherokee strip. The storm began in driving sleet, which chilled stock. The loss to sheep is considerable, as they crowd in the cars and smother. Cattle upon the range have drifted badly with the storm, and many herds are miles away from where they were held at the beginning of the storm. The weather has been very cold in southern Kansas during the last few days, the mercury standing at 17 degrees below zero this morning at 7 o'clock. The weather is now moderating slightly.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., Feb. 5.—The blizzard here continues, and the suffering is intense as reports come in from all parts of the state. The fall of sleet which prevailed here continued this forenoon. In South Arkansas stock is perishing in the bottoms, and to-night the cold is as great as yesterday.

DALLAS, TEX., February 5.—The weather continues cold. There is sufficient snow to make sleighing pleasant and skating. All trains are hours behind time, but no wrecks reported. The mercury reached the lowest point yesterday, indicating 5 deg. above zero. Sheep and cattle are reported as suffering, many of the former dying.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Feb. 5.—Weather yesterday and to-day ranged between 15 and 17 degs. above: snow and sleet falling by intervals this morning and through the day, and the earth is covered with ice.—First sleighs ever seen here were drawn through the streets this afternoon. Many thousand head of stock are reported to have died from cold south and northwest of here last night and yesterday. It is still cloudy, with damp, fine snow falling this evening, and to night it is expected the losses of stock will be greater than the past two days, as all grass is frozen and stock cannot find subsistence. There is no possible way at present to find out the extent of the losses, but they will certainly be very great. All trains from the West are on time, though trains from the North are much behind.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 5.—It is difficult to ascertain anything beyond the general facts as to the failure of Ferry & Bro. at Grand Haven. They have been developing for several years a silver mine in Utah, which has taken all the means they could raise in every direction. It has as yet made no returns, though they have been sanguine there was a fortune in it. For about two years the firm has been in financial strait, and many of their more prominent creditors have, since Jan. 1, been quietly securing themselves. Several attachments and mortgages were filed in Grand Haven last Friday against property belonging to the firm. Several sales of real estate are reported. The Genesee County and the First National Bank at Flint attached certain property at White Hall and Montague Saturday, which had the effect to bring matters to a crisis.—The secured liabilities, held mostly in Grand Haven and Chicago, are supposed to be something over $300,000. Something like $250,000 was lately realized from the sale of their lumber yard interests in Chicago and some real estate, and it is supposed much of this went to meet paper which had been indorsed by the purchaser. Very little property is now visible, and unsecured creditors will probably be left. Liabilities of Ferry & Bro., and other firms in which they are jointly interested, it is believed will range from $500,000 to $750,000. They will probably reach the latter amount, and about $30,000 will cover all the assets, and these have been secured to creditors mostly in Chicago, Grand Haven and Grand Rapids. Creditors not secured will probably not get a cent. The failure involves particularly Ferry & Bros., the Ottawa Iron Company of Ferrysburg, S. H. Lasley & Co. of Montague, and the Michigan Barge Co. of Grand Haven.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 5.—People interested in Dakota affairs are much disappointed in the failure of the House to-day to pass the division bill under suspension of the rules. It is believed that the motion was defeated by the over-anxiety of friends to discuss it. The democrats, under the leadership of Sam Randall, were willing to allow a vote without discussion, but the great eagerness of Grant, of Vermont, who had charge of the bill, and Burrows, of Michigan, chairman of the committee on territories, and one or two other republicans, to make speeches, precipitated a bitter political discussion which resulted in the failure of the motion. Before the motion was made, at least 25 democrats promised to vote for it. This would have given the requisite two-thirds majority to suspend the rules, but a single sentence uttered by Randall was sufficient to solidify the democrats and cause them to vote against the motion. He argued against the division on the ground that there was no occasion for it, and charged that the only motive the republicans had in urging its passage was a political one. It meant the ultimate admission of two republican states. "If," said he, "the purpose of the other side is not political, there is nothing at all in the motion." The democratic members were reminded of the vital mistake of the party in the Forty-Fourth congress in admitting Colorado for the purpose of giving Patterson, the democratic contestant, a seat in the House, and on the assurance that the state would henceforth be democratic. They oppose the admission of Dakota because they feared admission would follow division. Said a democratic member after Randall finished speaking today: "We have already been taught a bitter experience, and intend to profit by it on this occasion." This was the feeling on the democratic side, the greenback-republicans voting with the republicans, the vote standing 151 to 110.

The President's Little Joke.

Washington Special to Boston Herald.

A delegation of prominent business men went to the White House the other day to see the President about the vacancy in the Board of Commissioners which controls the District of Columbia. They were really prominent men, and, for a wonder, they did not have a name to propose. The most eloquent merchant in Washington presented the suggestions the delegation had to offer. They wanted to present the ideal commissioner—a man of straw, carefully dressed. The President listened attentively, and looked at the delegation admiringly while the eloquent merchant described a man who, if he existed, would doubtless be chosen for the Presidency in 1884 by acclamation. A curious smile crept over the President's handsome face as the merchant's eloquence climbed higher and higher. Finally the picture was complete. "And now, Mr. President," said the delegation, through their eloquent spokesman, "have you such a man in view?" "Yes," said the President, while the smile crept over his face again. "Ah!" said the delegation, hanging on his every word. "But," concluded the President, "he is dead." "Oh!" said the delegation, taking their farewell.

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To E. Cassiday and to the unknown owners or parties interested in the premises hereinafter described:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots, for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 22d day of June, A. D. 1881, for the taxes for the year 1880, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot ten, in block one, in S. B. Jacks's Addition to the City of Decatur, taxed in the name of E. Cassiday, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of June, A. D. 1883.

Feb. 6—d3w JOHN N. BILLS.

To Lewis Pratt's estate and to the unknown owners or parties interested in the premises hereinafter described:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots, for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 22d day of June, A. D. 1881, for the taxes for the year 1880, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 18, block 9, Smith & Cox's Addition to the City of Decatur, taxed in the name of Lewis Pratt's estate, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of June, A. D. 1883.

Feb. 6—d3w JOHN N. BILLS.

To William Loughbaum and to the unknown owners or parties interested in the premises hereinafter described:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots, for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 22d day of June, A. D. 1881, for the taxes for the year 1880, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot one, block five, B. H. Cassell's Fourth Addition to the City of Decatur, taxed in the name of William Loughbaum, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of June, A. D. 1883. JOHN N. BILLS.

Feb. 6—d3w

WANTED, LOST, FOUND, &c.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance. No trade advertisements inserted in this column.]

FOUND—To-day, Feb. 5, on the street, a lady's pocket book containing money. The owner can recover the same by calling at the poultry stand in Peniwell's feed store.
Feb. 5, 06.

WANTED—By the first of May by a respectable tenant, a good house of seven or eight rooms not more than two blocks from the square. Lock Box 361. Feb. 5-d0*

FOR SALE.—Ten acres of land with a comfortable house of three rooms, newly plastered and painted, a good stable, cornerib and pigpen, about one hundred bearing peach trees, also about one-fourth acre in raspberries, and 1½ acres in nice young timber, the balance all under cultivation. A first-class place for poultry raising or small fruit growing or gardening. Situated three miles west of Decatur. Price, $300 cash. Also privilege of purchasing 3 acres farm land adjoining at $40 per acre. A bargain. Address M., box 112, Decatur, Ill. Feb. 5—d6*

TO RENT—House with 4 rooms, in good repair, to family with no small children. Enquire of R. N. HAM.
Feb. 2-dtf

FOR RENT—Basement room under Peddecord, Burrows & Co.'s Bank. Inquire of Haworth & Sons. Feb. 1-d6

SITUATION WANTED by a young man to work in a store. Speaks English and German, and is willing to make himself useful to his employer. Address A. W. MOORE, Dalton City, Ill. feb1d6t*

WANTED—A good girl to do housework.—Apply at 42 East North street.
Jan. 23-d1w

WANTED—An experienced dining room girl. Apply at the Thomas House, East Main street. jan29d6t*

J. L. MORGAN, late of Morgan & Stout, has a Tin Shop in the Bills block, south of the court house, where he is prepared to do all kinds of tin work with neatness and dispatch.
Jan. 21-d1mo

NEW BAKERY AND RESTAURANT—I am now in the bakery and restaurant business again, in the new building south of the REPUBLICAN office, fully prepared to furnish warm meals at all hours. Give me a call. Meals, 25 cents. JOSEPH MCCRARY.
Nov. 27-dtf

SCROLL SAWING and Turning done to order at Will C. Andress' factory, corner of Franklin and Cerro Gordo streets.
May 21dtf

J. M. LOWRY, Justice of the Peace and Collecting Agent, writes and certifies the acknowledgment of deeds, mortgages, leases, releases, and other instruments neatly and correctly. Office, Powers' Block, room No. 7, Decatur, Illinois. may 18-d1y

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Respectfully, R. LIDDLE.
Dec. 15-d&wtf

An Elegant Farm for Sale.

At Lanesville Station, on Wabash & St. Louis R. R., Sangamon County, Illinois, 22 miles west of Decatur. It is the home farm of the late Jesse A. Pickrell, containing

330 Acres of Splendid Land,

with never failing stock water. Improvements all First Class, consisting of a fine Brick Mansion, Good Out-buildings, Brick Ice-house, Stabling, etc., all in excellent repair. A fine bearing orchard and a great abundance of ornamental trees. It is certainly one of the very best farms of its size for sale in Central Illinois, and is offered for sale to settle up the business of the estate. If not sold privately before, it will be sold without reserve on

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 28, 1883,

at noon, at public sale, on the premises.

TERMS—Cash, but the purchaser can retain two-thirds of the purchase money at 8 per cent. by giving mortgage on the premises.

For particulars apply to A. G. PICKRELL or B. F. PICKRELL, adjoining the premises, Wheatfield P. O., Ill., or to J. H. PICKRELL, Harristown, Illinois. feb5dlew-w3

P. PERL,



EMBALMER

AND

FUNERAL DIRECTOR

May 27, '82-dtf.

REDEMPTION NOTICES.

To L. C. Pugh, or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 22d day of June, A. D. 1881, for the taxes for the year 1880, I purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: Lot one (1), southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section thirty-three (33), township seventeen (17) north, range three (3) east of the 3rd principal meridian, taxed in the name of L. C. Pugh, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of June, A. D. 1883. JOHN N. BILLS.

Decatur, Jan. 27, 1883. feb2d3w

To Isaac Laughlin, or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 22d day of June, A. D. 1881, for the taxes for the year 1880, I purchased the following described tract of land to-wit: Lot four (4), the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section seventeen (17), township seventeen (17) north, range four (4) east of the third principal meridian, taxed in the name of Isaac Laughlin, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of June, A. D. 1883. JOHN N. BILLS.

Decatur, Jan. 27, 1883. feb2d3w

Decatur School of Elocution.

MISS LENA HENKLE,

Successor to Mrs. M. L. Cain, will organize her Classes in Elocution and Dramatic Reading, in the rooms formerly occupied by Mrs. Cain, northwest corner Old Square. Calisthenics, Physical and Vocal Gymnastics Classes meet Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays from two to 5 p. m. Business hours Mondays, from 2 to 5 p. m. For terms, etc., address

Oct. 4—d0m MISS LENA HENKLE, Decatur, Illinois.

DO YOU WANT

To see your mother-in-law laugh once more? Nothing easier in the world. Bring her down and let us price our CLOAKS to her. Even if she don't want to buy she "will be tickled." Try it.

It will please anybody to see a $7 DOLMAN for $3.50, or a $12 one for $6, or a $4 CLOAK for $2, or an $8 one for $4. We did not mark them up either so that we could get about cost for them. The original price is still marked on them in figures and just what we sold them for.

We have got a handsome stock of EMBROIDERY, and got in a few pieces IRISH POINT to-day; they are pretty; you can make your own Collars and Cuffs with them if you wish, and that reminds us that we also you some very pretty Irish Point Collars and Cuffs, and a nice line of Lace Collars. They came in this morning—some of the new kinds, you know. We have received a great many new goods lately and would like to have you come and see them.

What size CORSET did you say you wore? Well, we can't fit you this in the job lot, but if you were large enough for size 24 to 30 you could.

A BARGAIN.

We are closing an assorted lot of those sizes at 50 cents that are reduced from $1.00, $1.75, $2.50 and $2.75.

On the same table are 30, 35, 40, 50 and 60 cent LINED GLOVES, all reduced to 25 cents. They are splendid for this weather, and awful cheap.

Yours Truly,

F. L. HAYS & CO.

Jan. 23—d&wtf

W. R. ABBOTT & CO.'S

—STOCK OF—

Christmas Goods is Immense!

NEW GOODS EVERY DAY.

Our assortment of SILVERWARE, GOLD and SILVER WATCHES and FANCY GOODS is the finest in the city. Do not fail to see them.

Dec. 21, 1882—d&wtf

Du Quoin Coal.

A full and regular supply,

$1.75 Per Ton at the Yard

North Main St. Crossing of the Wabash Railway.

$2.00 PER TON, Delivered.

ROBERT McCLELLAND.

Jan. 4, 1883—d&wtf

Cash Prizes

1st, $100.00.
2d, $50.00.
3rd, $30.00.
4th, $20.00.

We keep a full stock, guarantee bottom prices and entire satisfaction.

IRWIN & PRIEST.

Jan. 1, 1883—d2w&w3mo

$200 Cash

WILL BE GIVEN AWAY BY

Irwin & Priest,

DRUGGISTS,

JANUARY 5, 1884.,

"Our Drug Store,"

DECATUR ILL.

FOR EVERY 50 CENTS

Received for Goods bought of us this year (1883) the purchasers entitled to

ONE SHARE

IN OUR

CASH DONATION

IRWIN & PRIEST.

EVERYBODY GOES TO

C. B. PRESCOTT'S

For the World-Renowned

Haines Pianos!

—AND—

WESTERN COTTAGE ORGANS,

Because they know them to be the LEADING INSTRUMENTS OF THE WORLD.

100 ORGANS,

To be Closed Out in Ninety Days, at LESS THAN FACTORY PRICES. Now is the time to place your orders.

An Immense Stock of SMALL INSTRUMENTS. SHEET MUSIC and MUSICAL MERCHANDISE generally, at

PRESCOTT'S CITY MUSIC STORE

Nov. 29, 1882—d&w2mo

THE

BIG SHOE STORE,

13 EAST MAIN ST. THROUGH TO 9 WATER ST.

Wholesale and Retail Boots & Shoes.

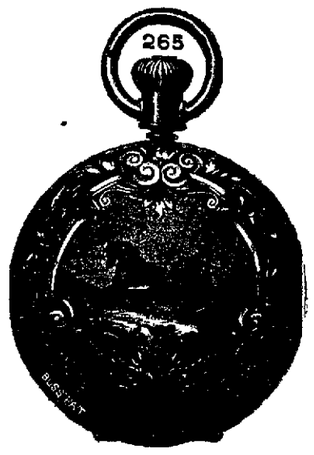
LARGEST STOCK. LOWEST PRICES. BEST GOODS.

L. L. FERRISS & CO., DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

July 11, 1882—d&wly

EVERY ONE SHOULD LOOK

—AT OUR STOCK OF—



GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES!

Before They Decide Upon a Watch

Do your looking around, then call upon us, and we will show you more Watches than you can see in the Consolidated Stocks of Decatur. We have all kinds—

ROCKFORD, HOWARD, HAMPDEN, SPRINGFIELD, ELGIN, WALTHAM,

AND FINE FOREIGN GOODS BESIDES.

We are enabled to sell you ANY WATCH 10 to 20 per cent. lower than you can get them in Illinois, because we get "DISCOUNTS FOR QUANTITY" that few dealers do. Our discounts from the manufacturer are as great as any of the larger city jobbers get, and our expense of doing business being a great deal less than their's, WE CAN SELL ANY WATCH FOR LESS MONEY AND MAKE MORE NET PROFIT THAN THEY CAN. Again we ask you to see our line and get our price on any Watch you may think of buying.

Respectfully,

O. E. CURTIS & CO.,
LEADING JEWELERS.

Feb. 3 dawtf

SPECIAL CHEAP SALE

For Two Weeks Before Invoicing.

WILL MAKE SPECIAL PRICES ON ALL GOODS

CLOAKS, DOLMANS, SHAWLS and WINTER MILLINERY at half value.

Large Lines of HAMBURG, SWISS and NAINSOOK EMBROIDERIES just received. New and beautiful styles.

All go into the Cheap Sale for two weeks. Now is the best time to buy. Remember

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,

20 East Main St., Powers' Block.

Jan 21—dAwtf

OPERA HOUSE.

SATURDAY EVENING, FEB. 10th.

Production and Only Performance this Season of the Most Famous and Successful Play Ever Produced.

HAZEL

"A Dramatic Gem of the First Water."

KIRKE!

H-A-Z-E-L | THE CELEBRATED MADISON SQUARE THEATRE COMPANY FROM NEW YORK | K-I-R-K-E

HAZEL

"The Play with the Longest Run on Record."

KIRKE!

Positively the Only performance of this Celebrated Play by this Peerless Company.

A Beautiful Decorated Souvenir Progeamme will be Presented to Each Lady in Attendance.

SECURE SEATS AT THE USUAL PLACE.

GUSTAVE & CHAS. FROHMANN, - - General Managers.
FRANK L. BINBY, Manager. RODNEY S. WIRES, Business Manager.

Prices 50, 75 and $1.00.

Seats on sale at Curtis & Co's jewelry store, commencing on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

The Daily Republican.

TERMS.

Per week, payable to Carrier,.....15 Cts.
One year, in advance,.....$7.00
Six Months, " 3.50
Three Months, " 1.75

TUESDAY EVENING, FEB. 6, 1883.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are requested to announce CHARLES C. RADCLIFF as a candidate for Township Collector at the ensuing April election.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

WALK in and see the Novelty Baby Carriages at

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

CALDWELL has the best hard coal in market. P. O. Block. 24dtf

THE trains keep running.

NEW MOON to-morrow night.

THE ice decoration is still with us, with no immediate prospect of disappearing.

A NEW saloon for the fifth ward was manufactured last night by the council.

AN elegant assortment of Silk Handkerchiefs at B. STINE'S. Dec. 22-tf

CIRCUIT court is in session. Judge Smith was in Champaign yesterday and could not reach Decatur.

IT doesn't appear that the new street railway company will have smooth sailing.

ORDER Decatur coal, NUT or Lump of Caldwell, P. O. Block. 24dtf

A DECATUR young lady and a Springfield young man, both well known in society circles in both cities, will be wedded within two weeks.

BARGAINS in fine harness and beautiful laprobes at J. W. Tyler's, south side city park.

SILK Umbrellas at STINE'S. 22-tf

THE funeral of Mrs. Smith on yesterday afternoon was largely attended by friends. The services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Musgrove.

MT. OLIVE and Barclay coal delivered to any part of city, at $2.25 per ton, by Ed. Martin. Jan. 6-dtf

THE preliminary examination of young Frank Shafer, on a charge of burglary, will be had before Justice Curtis on Feb. 15th, at 9 a. m.

YOU will find Keck & Weigand's famous "10-cr" and "Keystone" cigars just the smokers you have been pining for. Ask all leading dealers for them. Nov. 10, dtf.

THE examination of J. E. Lane, the alleged embezzling school teacher, will be had before Justice McGorray on Friday next.

WM. DAVIS, of Clay City, Ill., says: "I have never found the equal of Brown's Iron Bitters as a remedy for dyspepsia." 2

THE Helen Blythe dramatic company appeared at the opera house last night before a small audience in "Only a Farmer's Daughter," which was well acted. Miss Blythe assumed the role of the female devil in the play and acquitted herself splendidly. The support was fair.

PRESCOTT leads them all in the sale of popular musical instruments, such as the Haines Bros. pianos and Western Cottage organs.

THERE have been no telegraph markets received in Decatur since Friday, and there is no little prospect of the markets coming from any point by wire for at least a week. No repairs can be made until new material is received and the ice melts a little.

NIEDERMYER has a good supply of butter and eggs at his family store on the Mound.

THE protracted meeting at the Christian church is still in progress, with increasing interest every night. Rev. Black, the evangelist, who was expected to preach at this church, is in the midst of a successful meeting at Watseka. Elder Pinkerton will preach again to-night. All are invited.

CALL for Schroeder's tip top Bohemian cigars—a nickel each—sold by all leading dealers.

"HAZEL KIRKE" has been presented over 2,000 times. Estimating that 500 persons have witnessed each performance, we have a grand total of 1,000,000 people who have gazed upon the great play. Leaving out blind, deaf and one-armed men, 2,000,000 of eyes have seen, 2,000,000 of ears have heard, and 2,000,000 of hands have applauded "Hazel Kirke." At the opera house Saturday night.

ALWAYS fresh and home-made—Harry Miller's Caramels, Butter Scotch, double strength Horehound, &c. For sale by all first-class dealers. nov9-dtf

"THE Baptism of Fire" will be the subject of Rev. Harrison's talk at the afternoon meeting to-morrow. Hear it. It is expected that many visiting ministers will attend the all-day jubilee over 1000 saved on Thursday.

STOP at Pope & Bros., in opera block, for fresh country butter. They have a good supply—30 cents a pound.

AUGUST MITCHELL, 50 Emma street, Chicago, Ill., says: "Brown's Iron Bitters has entirely cured me of dyspepsia and sleeplessness." 2

THE I. B. & W. management is considering the introduction of a new style of coach for their night trains; the coach to have four sections, eight berths in the centre, and eight reclining chairs, two at each end of the coach. Parties who are to ride but part of the night can do so comfortably in the chairs. It is thought a combined coach of this character will be very popular with the traveling public.

LADIES' fine Rochester shoes worth $4 50 will be sold at J. W. Baker for $3.50. He is reducing his stock. Jan. 30-dawtf

LADIES' solid shoes worth $1.75 will be close out at J. W. Baker's for $1.25. Jan. 30-dawtf

THE horse purchased by D. S. Shellabarger was for the new street railway, and not for his son. The horse bought is to match one he has had for some time, and will be attached to the light-running street car for gentlemen only. He has another fine matched team, graceful in appearance, intended for the ladies' car.

IF you want anything in the boot and shoe line, call on J. W. Baker. He is closing out at low prices. Jan. 30-dawtf

GO TO Dr. Thomas S. Hoskins to get your dental work done. Cor. Main and Water streets, Decatur, Ill. 21dtf

NEW lin of fine Knit Jackets just received, at Stine's, 1-dtf

$8,000 IN STALLIONS.

Recent Purchases Made by the Brenneman Brothers in the East.

This morning Mr. D. W. Brenneman, of this city, and his brother, Mr. Eli Brenneman, of the Elm Grove stock farm near Macon in this county, arrived in the city from an important purchasing trip in Crawford county, Pa. They invested $8,000 in cash in three fine thoroughbred Clydesdale stallions, imported by Powell Bros. from Scotland expressly for them, and they are now acknowledged to be in possession of the finest and, most expensive draft stallions in the state of Illinois. The following is a partial description of the three stallions purchased by Brenneman & Bro. last week in Pennsylvania:

"Lord Dornolly," a handsome seal-brown 3-year-old thoroughbred Clydesdale stallion, the only one of his stud imported. The price paid was $3,500.

"Highland King," powerful four-year-old dark iron-gray Clydesdale stallion, at a cost of $3,000 cash.

Also "Killmory," a three-year-old Clydesdale stallion. He is a fine bay, with white marks, and cost $2,500.

These stallions will arrive in Decatur during the latter part of the present week.

The New County Physician.

The special committee of the county board of supervisors met on Monday afternoon to consider the matter of employing a county physician for the ensuing year. The were seven applicants for the position, and after a full consideration the bid presented by Dr. J. N. Randall was accepted, he agreeing to perform the duties of the position for not less than $500 and furnish all medicine that may be required at the lowest possible cost.—Dr. Randall will enter upon his official duties on March 1st, succeeding Doctor Weyl, who has held the position for two years in succession.

State Fair.

The Executive Committee are anxious to meet the citizens of the city and country at the Court House to-morrow evening, February 7th, at 7½ o'clock, to take into consideration matters of importance in relation to the State Fair. Let everybody be present, and give the matter their personal attention. By order of

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

City Teachers Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Decatur teachers will be held in the high school on Saturday, Feb. 10, 1883, beginning promptly at 9 o'clock. All friends of education are invited to attend. The following is the program:

9 to 9:15—Opening exercises.

9:15 to 9:30—Class in vocal music, 2d grade, by Miss Harriett A. Davidson.

9:30 to 10:15—A study in Bain's Science of Education, conducted by J. N. Wilkinson.

10:15 to 10:30—Class in vocal music, 4th grade, by Miss Anna H. Jack.

10:30 to 10:45—Recess.

10:45 to 11—"What can we do in teaching politeness in our schools?," by Miss Mary W. French.

11 to 11:30—Teaching drawing; teachers to be drilled as a class, by Miss Kate E. Crowley.

11:30 to 11:45—Objects of the recitation, by Miss Laura Montgomery.

11:45 to 12—Remarks by the Supt.

he Sleet.

The temperature has been at and below the freezing point since ever-to-be-remembered Friday night, and there is little prospect at present of the ice melting very soon; but on the other hand, we are threatened with another visitation of sleet. It was misting at noon to-day, and the clouds hung' low seemingly well charged with rain or snow. Sleighing continues good, and farmers and pleasure-seekers are making the most of it, while the boys have glorious times after school hours skating along the streets. The obstructions in the streets should be removed without further delay. The telegraph wires appear to give the most trouble particularly in the business part of the city and the municipal authorities should see that the obstructions are cleared away immediately.

970 Converts Secured

There was the usual large congregation in attendance at the Harrison revival last night, and the scenes were about the same as those which have been witnessed on previous evenings. There were about 50 at the altar, and so many professed conversion that the reporter became confused in the count. Altogether there have been 970 converts as shown by the books. One of the penitents last evening was a fashionably attired young lady who started up the aisle and became converted before she reached the altar. It was pronounced a glorious meeting, and it is confidently expected that there will be over 1,000 converts before 10 o'clock to-morrow night. The jubilee will occur on Thursday, commencing at 6 o'clock in the morning. Rev. Harrison will relate his experience to-morrow afternoon.

Card of Thanks.

EDS. REPUBLICAN: We take this method of thanking friends and neighbors for the very agreeable surprise party given us on Thursday last. We thank them for their turkey, chicken, cakes, pies, fruits and other delicacies. We thank them for their articles of clothing; but above all these we prize true friendship, and regret that we have to part with such neighbors, but think it best to go where we can find a home in the beautiful land of Dakota.

MR. AND MRS. G. F. WILKINSON.
Austin Township, Jan. 29.

An Electric Success.

Such has been termed "100 Wives" drama, to be presented at the opera house on Thursday evening. Read the following testimonials:

The supreme of picturesque effects was reached. The play is wholly clean and pure; the dialogue brief and humorous; admirably acted and finely mounted; the shouts of applause which greeted it sent the audience away with the conviction that its presentation was an electrical success.—*Cin. Gazette.*

"100 Wives," in the legitimate use of the term, is a vigorous drama; the master key is sounded in the very first passage, and every succeeding note swells with an added meaning the power of its theme. We endorse the verdict of the eastern press regarding the piece, and accord special praise to the company presenting it; its power to appeal to the popular heart is unbounded.—*Chicago Times.*

Popular prices.

Masonic.

Stated convocation of Macon chapter, 421 R. A. Masons, this (Tuesday) evening, Feb. 6, 1883, at 7 o'clock. A full attendance is requested. Business of importance. By order

J. S. MCCLELLAND, C. P.
J. C. HOSTETLER, Sec'y.

Headquarters

for Gentlemen's Neckwear at STINE'S. Dec. 22-tf

THE CIRCUIT COURT.

Commencement of the Extra Week of the Long Drawn Out Session.

Judge Smith reached Decatur last evening. He spent Saturday, Sunday and the greater part of Monday at his home at Champaign attending to personal matters and taking in the free show of ice. He would have been here on time yesterday morning had the Wabash trains been running on schedule time. Court convened this morning at 8:30 o'clock. The following cases received attention, this being the 45th day of the December term:

CHANCERY DOCKET.

Green W. Smith vs. Sidney M. Smith; divorce; decree pro confesso set aside and leave to answer by Wednesday morning.

Joseph C. Dickson vs. Asbury and Mary Childers; foreclosure; report of sale approved and case stricken from docket.

Charles F. Leavitt vs. Alvia W. Leavitt; chancery; referred to master.

Thomas Whittaker vs. Darius McVey; chancery; referred to master.

PEOPLE'S DOCKET.

The People vs. Daniel Elliott; burglary and larceny. Motion entered by defendant for a continuance by affidavit.

Same vs. Jerry Kelleher; forgery. Motion entered by defendant to quash second count in the indictment. Motion overruled and defendant pleaded not guilty.

Same vs. William Riley; carrying concealed weapons. Defendant pleaded guilty to second count, nolle entered as to first count. Defendant fined $25 and costs, and ordered to stand committed until the same is paid.

People vs. John McCarty, Wm. McCarty and Wm. Marles; burglary and larceny. Trial by jury pending. These are the parties who were arrested one morning last August, charged with burglarizing Swearingen & Schilling's drug store. Thomas Lee appears for Marles, and W. I. Walker for the McCarty brothers. Mr. Johns represents the people.

UNDER THE SNOW.

Funeral of the Late Benson N. Henkle—Resolutions of Respect.

The funeral of the late Benson N. Henkle, a former member of the city council, an active Odd Fellow and late foreman of the machinery department at Haworth & Sons' check-rower factory, took place from the tabernacle on yesterday afternoon in the presence of a very large assembly of friends who had known him more or less intimately since his coming to Decatur in 1855. The services were conducted by Rev. D. P. Bunn, of the Universalist church, who preceded his eulogistic remarks in memory of the dead by delivering a strong sermon upon the doctrine of universal salvation. Rev. Bunn was personally acquainted with the deceased, who was a believer in spiritualism, and his allusions to the departed were specially touching and deserved. The services over, the remains were followed to Greenwood cemetery by a long funeral cortege. At the grave the remains were interred with the impressive burial ceremonies of the Odd Fellows' order, in which the members of the different organizations in the city participated. The employes of Haworth & Sons' factory attended the funeral in a body. The pall-bearers were Messers. D. C. Moffett, P. D. Kline, John A. Brockway, Henry Kain, J. L. Peake and Henry Stafford, with George W. Patterson as director.

IN MEMORIAM.

At the meeting of Celestial Lodge No. 186, held on February 5th, the following resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, The Grand Master of the Universe has entered the presence of our order and removed by death our late Brother, Past Grand BENSON N. HENKLE; and whereas, it is but fitting that we should pay a tribute to his memory; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Celestial Lodge No. 186, I. O. O. F., has in the death of Past Grand B. N. Henkle lost a worthy and estimable member of the order, an ardent and zealous advocate, the community an honored citizen, and his family a kind and indulgent father, and his wife a devoted husband.

Resolved, That we extend to the bereaved family and friends our sincere and heartfelt sympathy in this the hour of their affliction.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the records of our lodge, and a copy under seal of this lodge be presented to the family of our deceased brother, and a copy furnished to the city dailies for publication.

G. W. PATTERSON,
W. L. HAMMER,
F. A. KORNMEYER,
Committee.

A Shower of Grandeur and Desolation

Messrs. Shively and Haws have made, and are still making, stereoscopic and other views of all the most interesting places in the city. Streets, residences, avenues and alcoves of ice. Also the principal public places. The finest picturesque views of the park and cemetery. Their collection will be complete and first class, at low rates. First exhibited this morning at their respective galleries. Orders filled on short notice. d1

Jackson-Hiser Wedding.

The residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Hiser, in Oakley township, at 7 o'clock p. m., February 1, 1883, was the scene of the marriage of Mr. Chauncey Jackson and Miss Angeline Hiser. The marriage was solemnized in the presence of about forty invited guests, Rev. J. H. Crowder officiating. After congratulations the party partook of the bounties of the sumptuous repast which had been prepared for the occasion. The attendants were Miss Ella Jackson and Mr. William Hiser, Miss Ida Hiser and Mr. Frank Hess. The bride was the recipient of the following presents:

Eight-day clock, from father of groom; large family Bible, mother of grom; set of china dishes, mother of bride; thirty dollars in greenbacks, father of bride; large feather wreath, Miss Eva Jackson, sister of groom; silver jewel case, Miss Ella Jackson, sister of groom; pair of gold bracelets, groom to bride; cake stand, bride's sister, Ida; silver butter knife, bride's brother Pope; silver quarter, bride's brother Samuel; silver sugar bowl, Mr. and Mrs. George Peck; set of glassware, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hess; large stand lamp, Mr. Frank Hess; alarm clock, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Garver; counterpane, Miss Leah Garver; Longfellow's Poems, Miss Ada Renshaw and Mr. Levi Hess; silver napkin ring, Miss Mollie Borchess.

Du Quoin Coal.

Robert McClelland has a full supply of Du Quoin coal, which he is delivering with a dozen teams to any part of the city, at $2 per ton.

Free of Charge.

All persons suffering from coughs, colds, asthma, bronchitis, loss of voice, or any affection of the throat and lungs, are requested to call at Hubbard & Swearingen's drug store and get a trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, *free of charge*, which will convince them of its wonderful merits and show what a regular dollar-size bottle will do. Call early. 3

"The Love of God."

The above was the subject of Bishop Kephart's third discourse at the U. B. church last night, in the presence of a fair-sized congregation. The services began with singing "Come Thou Fount," led by Prof. Lutz, followed by an earnest prayer by Elder Kretsinger. The singing of "Rock of Ages" preceded the collection, when the Bishop, who is a distinguished looking divine, in the prime of his life, arose and selected for his text the 20th verse of the 3rd chapter of Revelations. The sermon, which was clothed in polished language and delivered in a conversational manner, was a presentation of the greatness of God's love for His people and His willingness to save them from their sins. In the course of his remarks the Bishop enlarged upon the following points: The obstinacy of man, his duty, disposition of man to declare the statements in the Bible too broad, man's rebellion against God, and his disposition not to be saved at all, individual responsibility to God, and the loving kindness, forbearance and forgiveness of God. The peroration was very beautiful and impressive. The Bishop will preach again to-night. At the close of the services last evening Rev. Trueblood extended an invitation to all serious persons who felt that they ought to make a start, to come forward and kneel at the altar.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Rev. Prestley has a slight touch of lung fever.

Assessor Smith is on the sick list, and has been for several days.

Manager Helm, of the Western Union office, visited Danville yesterday.

Mrs. Jersey Lily Langtry is announced to appear at Peoria on Feb. 24th.

Miss Ollie Lawyer, of Cincinnati, Ohio, is in the city, visiting her cousin, Mrs. I. A. Buckingham.

Dr. J. N. Randall has been selected as the new county physician to succeed Dr. Weyl.

Will W. Wilcox, of the Board of Trade, went to Chicago on the first train out yesterday morning.

Mrs. Chas. H. Cassell and son arrived home yesterday after a protracted stay in New York, where they were visiting Prof. Leonard and family.

Manager Haines is ill. He is afflicted with throat trouble, and was unable to sell tickets at the opera house last night. He stayed at home.

D. W. and Eli Brenneman arrived in the city this morning from Springboro, Pa., whither they went to purchase a lot of fine horses for Elm Grove Farm, near Macon.

Sam. P. McLean has quit scribbling in Decatur and has gone to Kankakee, where he will assist in publishing the *Weekly Gazette* at that place. Good luck to you, Sam. R. E. Scholl is McLean's successor.

Harry Lytle went out sleighing last evening, and for fear he'd get lonesome he took with him three young lady friends. * * * The horse collided with a telegraph pole at the corner of Water and North streets, the cutter was partly wrecked and the party adjourned *sine die*. Damage slight. Nobody hurt.

The Story of Hazel Kirke.

Dunstan Kirke, an old miller, has promised his daughter Hazel's hand to 'Squire Rodney, who has loaned him money, and educated the daughter. The latter loves Arthur Carringford, a young English lord whom her father has saved from drowning. Rodney finds this out, and generously gives her up, but the stern old man will not allow the sacrifice, but accuses her of unfaithfulness, and drives her out. She marries Arthur, but upon being informed that her marriage was illegal, leaves him in her indignation at his treachery. She wanders back to the old mill and finds her father has become blind, and is about to lose his home. Rodney still loves her, and asks her hand. She consents, but the old man is still unforgiving. Hazel tries to drown herself, and her father, hearing her cries, but being unable to assist her, loses his reason. Arthur finally appears with proofs of the legality of their marriage, and the old man's wandering mind returns upon hearing Hazel sing an old song of her childhood. This play will be presented at the opera house next Saturday night by the Madison Square company. Don't fail to see it.

$18 to Kansas.

Thomas Bivins will manage two cheap excursions to points in Southeastern Kansas and Southwestern Missouri, over the Wabash—the first on Tuesday, Feb. 6th, and the second on Tuesday, Feb. 20th. Fare for the round trip from Decatur, $15. Tickets good for 40 days, with stop-over privileges. Office with J. T. Hand & Co. 24dtd

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DIED.

In this city on Monday, Feb. 5, 1883, at 7 p. m., of heart disease, J. THOMAS MCGORRY, aged 18 years.

The deceased was a son of Justice McGorry. He had been ill for a number of weeks.

The funeral will take place to-morrow at 2 o'clock p. m. from the family residence on Webster street. Friends of the family are invited.

MARRIED.

By C. H. Garver, J. P., on Wednesday evening, Jan. 31, 1883, at the residence of the bride's parents in Whitmore township, MR. JOSEPH L. MILLER, of Friends Creek, and MISS FANNIE B. MCKINLEY, daughter of W. N. McKinley.

The following were among the gifts:

Misses Anna and Mary Miller, pair of blankets. Mr. J. P. Burgess, dessert and fruit dishes and glass water pitcher. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ayers, a set of glassware. Mr. Daton Miller, a glass water pitcher. Mrs. J. H. Burgess, one set of knives and forks. Mr. F. McKinley, pair of towels. Mrs. William N. McKinley, 30 yards of carpet. Mr. J. P. Miller, pair of towels. Mr. and Mrs. George Austin, lamp. Lydia McKinley, pair of towels. Willie Ayers, butter dish. Mrs. J. S. Miller, salt set. Amy Hess and Alice Miller, fruit stand. Groom to bride, fine silk handkerchief. Bride's mother, pair of blankets.

Do Not be Deceived.

In these times of quack medicine advertisements everywhere, it is truly gratifying to find one remedy that is worthy of praise, and which really does as recommended. Electric Bitters we can vouch for as being a true and reliable remedy, and one that do as recommended. They invariably cure stomach and liver complaints, diseases of the kidneys and urinary difficulties. We know whereof we speak, and can readily say, give them a trial. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 3

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Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:

Main Line.

GOING EAST.

No. 6, Through Express... 7:00 a. m
" 1, Atlantic Express... 12:00 m.
" 2, Lightning Express... 10:55 p. m
" 8, Bement Accommodation... 7:25 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East... 8:45 a. m
Going " ... 1:15 p. m
Going " ... 4:35 a. m

GOING WEST.

No. 5, Fast Line... 5:25 a. m
" 7, Jacksonville Accommodation 7:10 a. m
" 5, Fast Mail... 1:00 p. m
" 1, Through Express... 7:15p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going west... 1:30 p. m
Going " ... 11:30 p. m

Chicago Division.

On and after Sunday, May 15th, 1881, trains will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W., St. L. & P. R'y by way of Bement:

GOING EAST.

No. 48, Chicago Express... 12:30 a. m
" 46, Through Express... 7:10 a. m
" 44, Chicago Mail... 12:15 p. m

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO.

No. 47, St. Louis Express... 3:45 a. m
" 45, St. Louis Mail... 3:50 p. m
" 41, Through Express... 7:25 p. m

St. Louis Division.

GOING WEST.

No. 47, St. Louis Express... 4:25 a. m
" 43, Fast Line... 5:15 a. m
" 41, Decatur and St. Louis Accom... 6:35 a. m
" 45, Fast Mail... 4:05 p. m

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS.

No. 48, Chicago Express... 12:15 a. m
" 44, Atlantic Express... 11:55 a. m
" 46, St. Louis and Decatur Accom... 9:10 p. m
" 42, Lightning Express... 10:40 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St. Louis Division:

Going West... 6:30 a. m
Arrive from West... 6:30 p. m

Champaign Division.

Arrive from East... 10:30 a. m
Leave for Champaign... 20:0 p. m

For Maps, Time Tables, Tickets and any particular information, call on

K. HARWOOD, Agent W. St. L. & P. R. R.
J. C. GAULT, 2d Vice President. H. C. TOWNSEND, Gen. Pass. Agent, St. Louis.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R. R.

On and after Monday, Oct. 29, 1882, trains will arrive and depart as follows:

EAST.

Mail and Express... 12:10 p. m
Local Freight arrives... 5:20 p. m
" " leaves... 6:40 a. m

WEST.

Mail and Express... 12:25 p. m
Local Freight arrives... 6:20 p. m
" " leaves... 0:00 a. m

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D. H. CONKLIN, General Manager.

Peoria Decatur & Evansville R'y.

Take this Line for Burlington, Council Bluffs, Omaha, Galesburg, Davenport, Rock Island, La Salle, Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis, and all points North and Northwest. Connections made at Peoria in Union Depot, for all points in Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota and Wisconsin.

GOING EAST.

Passenger... 9:28 a. m
" ... 10:40 p. m
Freight... 2:35 p. m
Through Freight... 2:40 a. m

GOING WEST.

Passenger... 6:55 a. m
" ... 3:40 p. m
Freight... 10:45 a. m
Through Freight... 6:00 p. m

G. L. HOVEY, Freight Agent. W. S. NICHOLS, Ticket Agent.
G. L. Bradbury, General Manager.
F. C. Parker, Traffic Manager.
S. M. Mills, Gen'l Pass. and Ticket Agent.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

DECATUR STATION, Sept. 3, 1882.

Until further notice, trains on this line will leave Decatur as follows:

GOING NORTH.

Passenger... 6:10 a. m
Accommodation... 3:40 p. m
Freight... 4:20 p. m

GOING SOUTH.

Accommodation... 10:10 a. m
Passenger... 5:30 p. m
Freight... 9:50 p. m

J. T. JEFFERY, Superintendent, Chicago.
J. C. TUCKER, Master Transportation, Chicago.
W. S. NICHOLS, Ticket Agent.
C. L. HOVEY, Freight Ag't, Decatur.

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CONDENSED TIME CARD.

LEAVE DECATUR GOING EAST.

Mail and Express No. 22... 12:15 p. m
Night Express No. 24... 10:00 p. m
Way Freight No. 26... 6:00 a. m
Mixed and Stock Train No. 30... 5:50 p. m

ARRIVE FROM INDIANAPOLIS.

Mail and Day Express No. 21... 3:00 p. m
Night Express No. 23... 4:30 a. m
Way Freight No. 25... 7:30 p. m
Through Freight and Mixed Train No. 31... 8:15 a. m

I. H. WILSON, Superintendent.
C. E. HENDERSON, Gen'l Man.
Decatur, Ill., April 20, 1882.

The Daily Republican.

Going to School.

"Class in geography, come forward, and in case any of you drop a pencil, look out of the window, or utter a cough, I will keep the whole school in at recess. Now, then, where is Green Cheese Creek?"

They give it up.

"What! None of you able to answer that question? Here are twenty boys who expect to become business men, and seven girls who will become wives and mothers, and not one of you know that Green Cheese Creek rises in the southeastern part of Hindostan, and flows in a northwesterly course for seventeen miles and twenty-two rods and empties into Ham River! You boys would look nice starting out as lawyers, doctors and book-keepers, wouldn't you? Go to your seats, and as a punishment each one of you must write fifty *words* and give me the name of every President of the United States.

"Class in arithmetic, step this way, and be careful how you step or you won't get any dinner to-day. Now, James, what is a rhomboid?"

"I don't know, sir."

"You don't? You are expecting to grow up and become a clerk in a clothing store and you don't know what a rhomboid is! A rhomboid, sir, is a parallelogram whose opposite sides only are equal, and whose angles are not right angles. Take your seat, and don't you dare look up until you have committed seventeen pages of history to memory.

"Now, Thomas, what is the amount due on a note for $467.19½, given for one year, one day, one hour and nine-tenths of a minute, and bearing seven and three-elevenths per cent. interest? Come, now, answer off-hand."

"Can't do it, sir."

"You can't? Only yesterday you told me that you intended to run a grist-mill when you grew up, and here you can't answer a simple question in mathematics! You'll never be able to run one end of a corn-sheller, and I might as well tell you so now. Go to your seat and cipher out 160 examples in vulgar fractions.

"Class in ancient history, now advance. When was the first rebellion against the Assyrian King Sardanapalus?"

No answer.

"James, Henry, Charles, Samuel—what! None of you able to answer this question? You are preparing to go out into the world as insurance canvassers, telegraph operators, bank clerks and Board of Trade speculators, and behold your ignorance! What would any of you do in case you were walking through an alley on a dark night twenty years hence and some one should suddenly stop you and ask you this question? The class is dismissed. How the next generation will manage to run stores and factories and keep the wheels of commerce and progress moving I don't know."—*Detroit Free Press.*

Habits of Bees and Wasps.

Yesterday Sir John Lubbock read to the members of the Linnean Society an account of his further observations on the habits of insects made during the past year. Some bees were trained to come to honey which was placed on a musical box on the lawn close to a window. The musical box was kept going for several hours a day for a fortnight. It was then brought into the house and placed out of sight, but at the open window, and only about seven yards from where it had been before. The bees, however, did not find the honey, though when it was once shown them they came to it readily enough. Other experiments with a microphone were without results. Every one knows that bees when swarming are popularly, and have been ever since the time of Aristotle, supposed to be influenced by clanging kettles, etc. Experienced apiarists are now disposed to doubt whether the noise has really any effect, but Sir John *suggests* that even if it has, *with reference* to which he expressed no opinion, it is possible that what the bees hear are not the loud low sounds, but the higher overtones at the verge of or beyond our range of hearing. As regards the industry of wasps, he timed a bee and a wasp, for each of which he provided a store of honey, and he found that the wasp began earlier in the morning, (at four o'clock,) and worked on later in the day. He did not, however, quote this as proving greater industry on the part of the wasp, as it might be that they are less sensitive to cold. Moreover, though the bee's proboscis is admirably adapted to extract honey from tubular flowers, when the honey is exposed, as in this case, the wasp appears able to swallow it more rapidly. This particular wasp began work at four in the morning, and went on without any rest or intermission till 7:45 in the evening, during which time she paid Sir John 116 visits.—*London Daily News.*

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Jan. 31, '82-to March 1, '83.

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If you wish to get value received call on C. F. Bachman & Bro. They keep a full line of Bed Room Suits, Parlor Suits, Book Cases, Mattresses, Spring Beds, Chairs, etc. Also the celebrated Superior Cook Stove, the best in the world; every stove fully guaranteed. Remember the place and give them a call. Sign of the Big Elephant, south of the Park.

April 7-d&w1y

The World Still Moves.

Notwithstanding Mother Shipton's dire prediction, the world still exists. The people will live longer if they use Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which subdues and conquers coughs, colds, consumption, whooping cough, and all diseases of the lungs. For proof call at Dr. A. J. Stoner's drug store and get a bottle free.

April 3-d&w1y 1

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New and handsome carpetings; also an elegant assortment of embroideries, at LINN & SCRUGGS'. Jan. 20, d&wtf

300 CARDIGAN JACKETS.

Cardigan Jackets of all kinds at 25 per cent. below jobber's prices. Must be sold in the next two weeks, at Decatur's One-Price Clothing and Merchant Tailoring Establishment, corner of old square.

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Preparations for Sickness.

Though it is not well to be always drearily on the lookout for sickness, yet since, with our degenerate bodies and degenerate habits, sickness is so prone to befall, it is desirable so far to anticipate the same that it shall not take us altogether at a disadvantage when it comes. It is hard work to take care of the sick when no forethought has preceded and no provision been made. Go into a house of this kind and ask only for so much as a soft cloth to bathe the patient's face, and confusedness immediately ensues. Chests are ransacked, drawers stirred to their bottoms, rag-bags emptied of their contents, but all in vain. Everything has gone forth to furnish the last rag carpet, or to the rag-man in exchange for tinware. And so if old flannel or pieces of old sheets are in demand; continued search only serves to emphasize the fact that, simple as the things are, they are—unless good clothes be torn to pieces—absolutely un-come-at-a-ble in that establishment.

Every housewife should set aside for this especial purpose some drawer or box, and see that it is kept well stocked with the *simple* but indispensable articles required in time of sickness—soft cloths for bathing purposes, or for cooling the head (these are best made from old, fine white stockings, the foot cut off well up into the ankle, the leg cut open and trimmed to the desired size, the edges turned in and the two legs run together with a few stitches taken here and there through the middle); rolls of white cotton for mustard plasters and the like; old sheets or pieces of the same for compresses or packs; old linen for dressing sores, blisters or wounds, old flannel, fine towels and whatever will be likely to come into play. This dispenses with all hurry or bustle at time of need, all that is requisite being to point out the drawer or give the box to the nurse.

Thoughtful housewives will be likely, too, to have a few pairs of extra sheets and pillow-slips laid aside, and several changes of night-dresses and underwear not in usual use, so that in case washing cannot be done as frequently as the case requires, the patient may not suffer from lack of changes of linen or bed-clothes. The beds themselves are a most important item of the sick-room, and especially is this the case where the illness is painful or prolonged. Many sensitive and nervous patients suffer exceedingly from the hardness, lumpiness, sagging, hotness, or other discomforts of their beds. Good springs and mattresses are tidiest, coolest and most easily made up, and for most patients are wholesome and comfortable. Light mattress of feathers or down over the other mattress are admissible where the patient is aged, thin in flesh, or otherwise sensitive to the hardness of his couch; but ordinarily soft mattresses of cotton are preferable to feathers for both the sick and the well. In making the bed, the under sheet, which should be of extra large size, should be well tucked in all around, at head and foot as well as at the sides, so that no amount of restless moving about shall pull it out of place. The upper sheet and quilts should be smoothly spread and tucked in well at foot, as it is most wearisome to the weak and ill to have the clothes twisting about, pulling up from the foot, or dragging off to the floor. Pillows should be of good size, and soft.

Too seldom in the planning of our house is any thought given to the planning of a room to be sick in—it is so much more natural and agreeable to plan for our pleasure than our pain! But since pain is more or less the portion of all, would it not be well to plan a little for that also? If the sick-room is situated at too great a distance from the kitchen or work-room, from the stove, cistern, pantry, and the like, the result is much tiresome journeying for the nurse, especially if she is also the wife and mother and house-keeper, and in addition to her sick room duties, has to oversee, if not actually perform, those of the kitchen also. But on the other hand it is only that anomaly in nature—a sick person without sick or sensitive nerves—that can, without disastrous results, endure the immediate nearness of the working machinery of the house, the pushing of chairs, the clattering of dishes, the constant moving to and fro. These things should be taken into account and, as far as possible, the well-being of both patient and nurse considered.

Nor is the locality of the sick-room the only thing. Its size and pleasantness, its facilities for letting in fresh air and sunshine at need, should receive thought. Means for the total shutting out of flies and other troublesome insects, without obstruction of fresh air, are, also, for the summer, a most important point.—*Country Gentleman.*

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You can continue feeling miserable and good for nothing, and no one but yourself can find fault, but if you are tired of that kind of life, you can change it if you choose.

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Jan. 25—d&wtf

RAILROADS.

An Ordinance in Relation to Railroads.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained by the City Council of the city of Decatur*, That it shall be unlawful for any railroad company or corporation, conductor, engineer, agent or other employe of any such railroad company or corporation or other person managing or controlling any locomotive engine, car or train upon any railroad track within the corporate limits of said city of Decatur, to drive, propel or run any passenger train within the limits of said city at a greater rate of speed than ten miles per hour, or to drive, propel or run within said *limits any locomotive engine, car or train*, other than a passenger train, at a greater rate of speed than six miles per hour, or in any manner to obstruct the travel or passage along any sidewalk or street of said city by placing or leaving upon, along or across any such sidewalk or street any truck, locomotive engine, car or train of cars, or any material or thing whatsoever for a longer period than ten minutes at any one time, and immediately thereafter for the full period of ten minutes, such sidewalk or street shall not be again obstructed. Any company, corporation or person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be subject to a penalty of not less than five dollars nor more than two hundred dollars for each and every offense.

SECTION 2. That any railroad company or corporation, which does now or hereafter may operate any railroad within or through the corporate limits of said city of Decatur, shall construct and maintain safe, commodious and convenient crossings across the track of such railroad where the same intersects any street, lane or avenue of said city the full width of such street, lane or avenue, and shall also make and maintain sufficient and proper conduits, culverts and gutters to carry off all *water under or along such railroad track.* The City Superintendent of Streets shall, from time to time, notify in writing the station agent or other officer or agent of any railroad company aforesaid, within what time and in what manner said city will require the construction or repair of the crossings, conduits, culverts and gutters aforesaid; and upon failure of such railroad company to construct or repair such crossings, conduits, culverts and gutters aforesaid pursuant to the notice aforesaid, such railroad company shall forfeit to said city one hundred dollars; and upon the persistent refusal of such railroad company to comply with the notice aforesaid for a period of thirty days after judgment for the first and each successive forfeiture, such railroad company *shall forfeit to said city a like sum of one* hundred dollars.

SECTION 3. Any person having the management of any railroad locomotive, who shall run or drive the same within the corporate limits of said city without having placed on the top of the chimney thereof a bonnet or spark arrester sufficient to prevent all accidents by fire from the sparks of such locomotive, or who shall fail to constantly ring the bell of such locomotive while the same is in motion, or who shall start such *locomotive* without first sounding the whistle or ringing the bell of such locomotive, or who shall blow off steam or unnecessarily blow the whistle of such locomotive when such locomotive is not in motion at a place and in a manner calculated to frighten teams passing along or standing on the public streets or alleys of said city, shall be subject to a fine for each and every offense mentioned in this section of not less than ten dollars nor more than one hundred dollars.

SECTION 4. Every locomotive engine, railroad car or train of cars running in the night time on any railroad track within the limits of said city shall have and keep while so running a brilliant and conspicuous light on the forward end, and while backing a brilliant and *conspicuous light* on the rear end of such locomotive engine, car or train of cars. Any railroad company, their agents or employes failing to observe the provisions of this section shall be liable, jointly and severally, to a fine of not less than ten dollars nor more than two hundred dollars.

SECTION 5. Whenever the city council of said city shall determine that it is necessary to have a flagman at the crossing of any of its streets over any railroad running through or into the limits of *said city*, it shall be the duty of the City Marshal of said city to at once notify the agent of the company or corporation owning, using or operating such railroad that a flagman is necessary at such crossing, and it shall then be the duty of such railroad company, within ten days thereafter, to place and retain a flagman at such crossing who shall perform the duties usually performed or required of flagmen; and such flagman is hereby empowered to stop any and all persons from crossing such railroad track whenever in his opinion there is danger from any approaching train, car or locomotive engine. And any railroad company refusing or neglecting to place flagmen as required by this section, shall forfeit and pay to said city one hundred dollars *per day for every day it shall* neglect or refuse to do so; and it is hereby made the duty of the city attorney to promptly commence and prosecute suit for the recovery of such penalty in the name of said city in any court of competent jurisdiction; *Provided*, when any railroad company is required to keep a flagman at any such crossing, it shall have the right to erect and maintain in such street, but not so as to obstruct or hinder travel thereon, a suitable house for the shelter of such flagman.

Passed December 9, 1882.
Published Jan. 9, 1883.

Attest: G. P. HARDY, City Clerk.

NOTICE!

The "CITIZENS' STREET RAILWAY COMPANY, OF DECATUR," will present to the Honorable City Council, of the City of Decatur, *Illinois*, at their next regular meeting, a petition asking for the right of way and consent of the council for said Company to construct its line and lay its track from the Central or Union Depot in said city to Front street; thence south on Front street to East Eldorado street; thence west on East Eldorado street to North Water street; thence south on North Water street to East Main street; thence west on East Main street to the old Public Square; thence across said Square to the "New Deming House" corner; thence south on said Square and South Main street to what is known as Cemetery street; thence on Cemetery street to the main entrance or gateway to Greenwood Cemetery.

DAVID S. SHELLABARGER,
President Citizens' Street R'y Co., of Decatur.
ARTHUR E. KINNEY, Secretary.
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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1882, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said Court, on

Monday, the Twenty-sixth (26th) day of February, A. D. 1883,

at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the Court House, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The south half (½) of the northwest fractional quarter (¼), and the southwest quarter (¼) of the northeast quarter (¼), all in section number nineteen (19), of township number eighteen (18) north, and range two (2) east of the 3rd principal meridian, containing according to the United States Survey one hundred and one and 75-100 acres, be the same more or less, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Illinois, Jan. 25 1883.

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Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
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Jan. 25—d30d

Executor's Notice.

Estate of THOMAS COOPER, Deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Thomas Cooper, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of March, A. D. 1883, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., January 23, 1883.

GEO. W. COOPER,
ALFRED A. COOPER,
Jan. 25—w3w Executors.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

In the Estate of JAMES MUNS, deceased.

BY virtue of a decretal order of the County Court of Macon county, Illinois, entered of record on the fifth day of January, 1883, I will sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, on the tenth (10th) day of February, A. D. 1883, at the hour of one o'clock P. M. of said day at the west entrance to the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, the following described real estate of said deceased, to-wit: The northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section ten, township seventeen north, range three east of the third principal meridian, in the county of Macon and State of *Illinois, or so much thereof as may be necessary* to pay the debts of the estate of said decedent.

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ROBERT M. MACHAN,
Administrator of the estate of James Muns, deceased.
Decatur, Illinois, Jan. 8th, 1883.
Jan. 11—w1w

Executor's Notice.

Estate of ANDREW GOODMAN, Deceased.

Public notice is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Andrew Goodman, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House in the city of Decatur, on the Third Monday of March, A. D., 1883, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., Jan. 23, 1883.

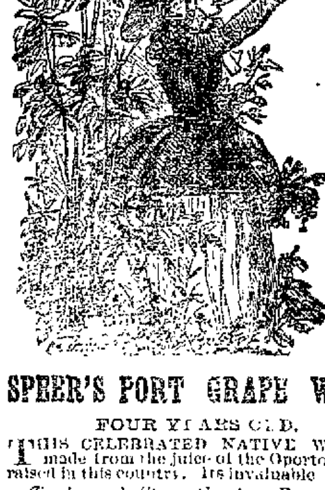
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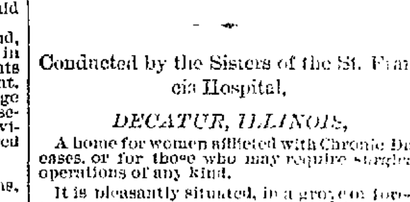
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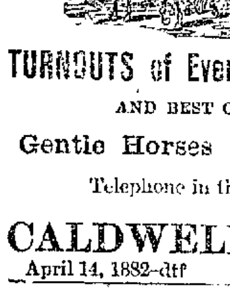
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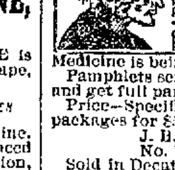
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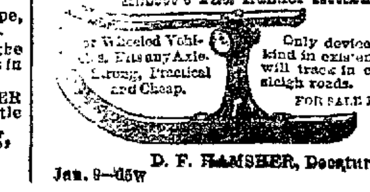
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